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Project Purpose:

This project will provide an improved primary east-west route from near the City of Wasco in Kern County to State Route 43. Motorist will benefit from safety improvement, local residence will experience traffic congestion relief, and the movement of services and goods will greatly improve through highway capacity, and continuity improvements.

Project Description:

This project will widen State Route 46 from a two-lane highway to a four-lane expressway with an 18-foot median from Schofield Avenue, west of the City of Wasco, to State Route 43. This project is 5.2 miles long and will provide left turn channelization on some of the intersections in and near the City of Wasco.

Timeliness/Schedules:

Construction is scheduled to Begin: Spring 2009

Construction is scheduled for Completion: Summer 2011

Construction Cost:

\$44.7 million

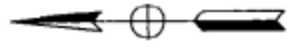
Funding Sources:

Regional Improvement Program (RIP)

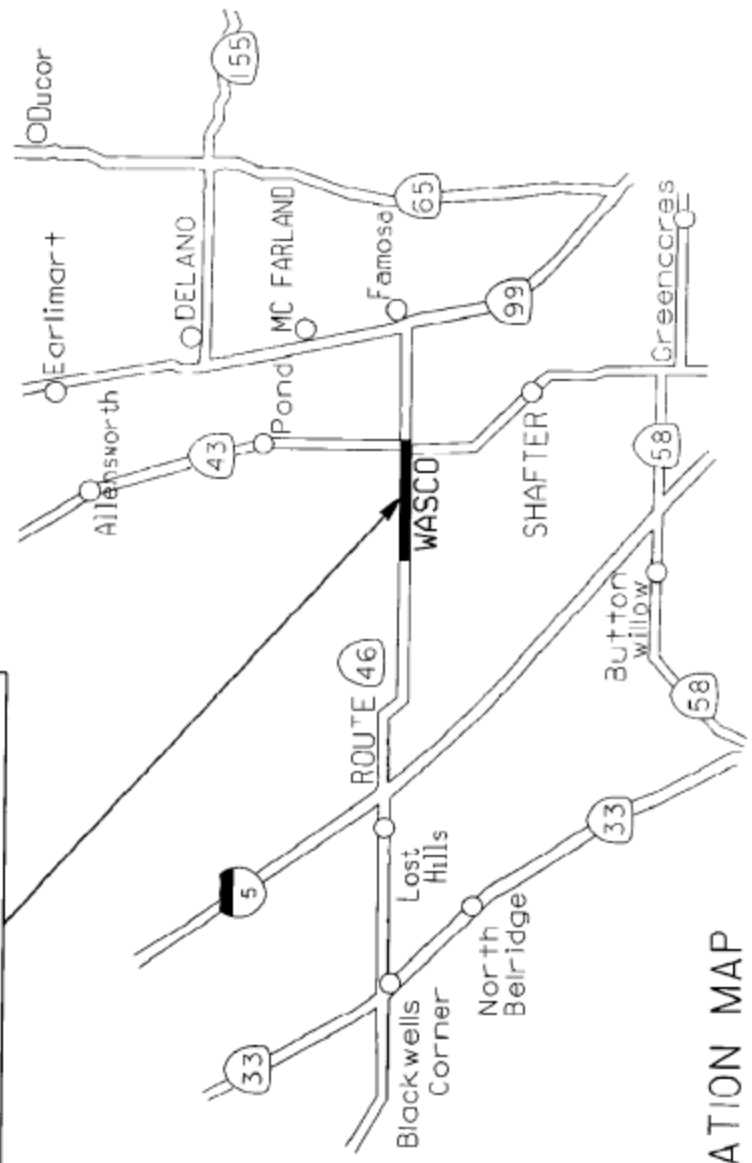
Agency Responsibilities:

Caltrans: Design, Planning, Right of Way acquisition, Construction Management.

Project Map on Reverse



PROJECT LOCATION



LOCATION MAP